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JUST ONE WORD

TO OUR CITY PEOPLE.

If you will do your Holiday shopping to-day (Friday) instead of waiting till to-morrow, you will get much better service.

Every store will be crowded from cellar to garret on Saturday, and by shopping on to-day, you will save yourself much inconvenience and help the merchants.

J. H. Anderson & Co.

HOLIDAY GOODS!

Ladies Bed Room Slippers, Red and Black Quilted Slippers, fur trimmed, at

$1.50.

Gentlemen's House Slippers

$1.50 and $2.00,

Very Handsome.

Gentlemen's Silk Handkerchiefs,

25c and 50c,

White and Colors.

ALL STYLES IN NECKWEAR, 25c to 50c.

New Idea Mufflers, 50c.

Elegant Silk-lined Kid Gloves, $1.00.

Tiger Brand Hats.

Monarch Shirts.

Useful Presents are Most Appreciated.

Burnett & Quarles.

MOODY DEAD.

Greatest of All Evangelists Passes Away Dec. 22.

Stricken in Kansas City After Preaching to 15,000 People The Night Before.

East Northfield, Mass.—Dwight L. Moody, the famous evangelist, died at noon to-day. Mr. Moody returned home a few weeks ago from Kansas City, where a heart affection forced him to discontinue his preaching. It was hoped rest would restore his health, but in spite of temporary favorable symptoms he grew steadily worse until the end came to-day.

He preached his last sermon on Thursday night, November 16, fully 15,000 people listening to an earnest appeal that many stamped as one of the evangelists greatest efforts. He was stricken the next morning at his hotel, but laughingly declared he was all right and that he would be able to preach that afternoon.

He grew worse gradually, however, and it was deemed best to start him for his home the next day, although his physician stated Mr. Moody's condition was not necessarily serious.

Dwyght Lyman Moody was born in Northfield, Mass., February 5, 1837. He worked on a farm until he was seventeen years old, when he became a clerk in a Boston shoe store. After joining the Congregational church he went to Chicago and began missionary work among the poor with great success. During the civil war he was employed by the Christian Commission. Later a church was built for him in Chicago for his converts. The edifice together with Mr. Moody's home, was destroyed by the fire of 1871.

In 1873, Mr. Moody, who by this time was famous as a lay missionary, accompanied Ira D. Sankey to Europe. They instituted week-day religious services in England, Scotland and Ireland, arousing great enthusiasm. Returning to this country the evangelists continued their work. In many large cities they conducted immense revival meetings. Their work was not confined to the United States, but took them frequently to the British Isles. Mr. Moody was a strong, impressive speaker, and his efforts everywhere were invariably crowned with success.

Mr. Moody was well known in Louisville. His first visit there was in 1888, when he conducted a big revival meeting at the tabernacle built for the purpose on Broadway, between Fourth and Fifth. He was last there two years ago at the Auditorium.

FIRE AT HOWELL.

Store House and Contents, Including Cash, Burned.

The store house of Gran Brame, a colored merchant at Howell, burned Sunday night, together with contents, including $40 in cash. Brame had closed the house and gone to a neighbor's, and when the flames were discovered they had made such headway that nothing could be saved. It is not known just how the fire originated. His loss is about $200. There was no insurance.

SATURDAY'S CATCH.

Eight Arrests Made On Varions Charges—Mostly Drunks.

Following is a summary of Saturday's business transacted in the City Court:

Joe Hunt, drunk, fined $5.
Albert Wallace, same, same.
Will Bronaugh, same, same.
Add Reece, same, same.
Bob White, same, same.
Sam Giles, u. p. l., same.
Tom Billington, b. p., same.
Seymore Winders, drunk, bond $6.
All of the parties are colored.

CHILDREN CREMATED

While Giving a Rehearsal of Christmas Exercises.

Quincy, Ill., Dec. 23.—Eleven little girls were burned to death here and others were injured. They were giving a dress rehearsal of Christmas exercises when the fleece clothing of two of the children dressed as lambs became ignited from a gas jet, and in a moment all of the participants were ablaze.

The dead:
Irena Freiburg.
May Wavering.
Mary Althoff.
Bernadina Freund.
Colletta Middendorf.
Mary Hickey.
Wilhelmina Guttendorf.
Olive Timpe.
Addie Futterrie.
Jesephine Bohm.
Margaret Warner.

CAPTURED IN GRACEY.

Major Gaither Held to Answer a Serious Charge.

Howard Dillard, town marshal of Gracey, arrested Major Gaither, col., Saturday and delivered his prisoner over to Jailer Williamson for safekeeping. Gaither is charged with malicious shooting, the alleged crime having been committed several months ago. Gaither has not yet furnished bond and will probably have to remain in jail until Circuit Court.

BURGLARS BREAK

Open Judge Savage's Store—Considerable Goods Taken.

Burglars made a haul on J. T. Savage on last Thursday night. They broke one of the panes of glass in a front window, thus effecting an entrance, and carried off a lot of old Virginia Cheroots, some cigars and other smoker's goods, besides numerous other articles of value. The cash-drawer was prized open, but no cash was found. The matter was placed in the hands of the police and the thieves may yet be brought to justice.

THIRTY DAYS EACH.

Boys Got Their Christmas Gift Ahead of Time.

Eugene Baxter, Kenner Washington, and Arthur Smith, three colored boys, charged with having taken a lot of dressed fowls from W. R. Brumfield's store last Thursday night, were tried in the city court Friday and sentenced to 30 days each in the work house.

Caused By Pneumonia.

Julia Bell, a colored woman who lived on the Clarksville pike, near the city limits, died of pneumonia, aged 40 years.

Sick Women Advised to Seek Advice of Mrs. Pinkham.

[LETTER TO MRS. PINKHAM NO. 94,863]

"I had inflammation and falling of the womb, and inflammation of ovaries, and was in great pain. I took medicine prescribed by a physician, but it did me no good. At last I heard of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after using it faithfully I am thankful to say I am a well women. I would advise all suffering women to seek advice of Mrs. Pinkham."—Mrs. G. H. Chappell, Grant Park, Ill.

"For several years my health was miserable. I suffered the most dreadful pains, and was almost on the verge of insanity. I consulted one of the best physicians in New York, and he pronounced my disease a fibroid tumor, advising an operation without delay, saying that it was my only chance for life. Other doctors prescribed strong and violent medicine, and one said I was incurable, another told me my only salvation was galvanic batteries, which I tried, but nothing relieved me. One day a friend called and begged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I began its use and took several bottles. From the very first bottle there was a wonderful change for the better. The tumor has disappeared entirely and my old spirits have returned. I heartily recommend your medicine to all suffering women."—Mrs. Van Cleft, 416 Saunders Ave., Jersey City Heights, N. J.

BRUTAL ASSAULT

Made on Ermine Johnson by a Murderous Negro.

Frank Kenner In Jail Charged With the Crime—The Boy's Death Almost Certain.

A murderous assault was made Thursday evening about six o'clock upon a white boy named Ermine Johnson, by Frank Kenner, a burly negro. The boy's injuries are almost necessarily fatal. Johnson is a son of J. T. Johnson, who lives on North Virginia street. He is about 16 years old and on Thursday after returning from work took his father's to water in company with his younger brother. As they returned from the river and were preparing to milk the cows in the alley two negroes passed by and one of them kicked one of the cows. The older boy remonstrated with him and one of the negroes with an oath pidked up a heavy piece of slate coal and struck the boy a murderous blow on the head. Johnson sank senseless to the ground and the negroes took to their heels. The younger boy who was in the lot ran to his brother's assistance and found Ermine lying on the ground. He called for help and the neighbors appeared and took the wounded boy in charge. Drs. Jackson and Reynolds were sent for and found the boy's injuries very dangerous, if not mortal.

His skull waa crushed and it was found necessary to remove a piece two inches sxuare.

Browder Campbell and Tom Pendleton, two negroes were arrested the same night and placed in jail. The boy thought Campbell was the man who struck him, but was not positive about it. On Saturday Frank Kenner and Will Talley were arrested and Kenner confessed that he was the guilty party.

Yesterday morning Campbell and Pendleton were released and Kenner was held over by Judge Leavell and the trial set for Wednesday. Talley is also in jail charged with being an accomplice.

Kenner says he come by and the boy cursed him and he in turn struck him. Those who know Johnson say this is not in accordance with the moral and peaceable habits of the youth. Johnson was still living yesterday, but his death is expected at any moment. His pulse was only 60 and there is not one chance in ten for his recovery.

Surprises His Congregation.

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 23.—Rev. Charles Nourse, pastor of the Southern Presbyterian church in this city, offered his resignation to take effect immediately. It came in the nature of a surprise to the church, as his pastoral year does not expire until July.

NEW HARDWARE HOUSE

Will Open Up For Business He January 1.

Mr. A. J. Meador is preparing to open up a large stock of hardware and house furnishings Jan. He has secured the store room adjoining E. B. Clark & Co.'s store house, on South Main, and his stock will arrive and be placed in position as soon as practicable. Mr. Meador is thoroughly up in the hardware business, having served in the capacity of book-keeper and salesman for Mr. C. A. Thompson for several years, and later was a member of the firm of Thompson & Meador. He has been associated with the firm of Thompson & Bassett since they formed a partnership, and in all he has been actively engaged in this line of business for about fifteen years.

He is a gentleman of wide popularity and that he will enjoy a liberal share of public favors goes without the saying.

CHILD'S HORRIBLE DEATH.

Inhaled Flames and Running Out of House Fell Dead.

A little four-year-old son of Prof. Joseph Vaughan, the colored teacher, met a horrible death Friday evening. The child had a towel tied around its neck and while playing near the fire the cloth caught and he was soon enveloped in flames. The parents were from home and a sister of the little fellow ran out to the gate to give the alarm. The burning child followed, and inhaling the blaze, fell dead at the gate.

FOUND DEAD.

Evidences of Having Come In Contact With an Engine.

Wallace Bradshaw, a colored man aged 58 years, was found dead by the L. N. track, near the water-tank late Saturday afternoon. His head had been cut and one leg and an arm were broken. He lived in Gainesville and the supposition is that while enroute home he was struck by a train. He was a laborer and frequently worked in the various tobacco warehouses of this city. He leaves a family.

DROPSY OF HEART

Causes Death of a Prominent Kennedy Planter.

Mr. J. Mercer Harris, a prominent planter of the Kennedy neighborhood, died rather suddenly at his home Friday night of dropsy of the heart. He had been in bad health for several weeks, but was not considered in a dangerous condition until within a few hours of his demise.

Mr. Harris was 55 years old and leaves a wife and three children.

Geo. W. Center

OFFERS THE FOLLOWING PRICES

UNTIL JANUARY 1st.

One lot Ladies Net Vests and Pants..............15c each, two for 25c
One lot Ladies Net Vests and Pants, extra good value........25c each
One lot Ladies Union Suits..............25c each
One lot Children's Union Suits..............25c each
One lot Men's Undershirts..............15c each
One lot Men's Undershirts, heavy, good..............25c each
One lot Wright's Wool Fleeced Underwear, worth $1, for......75c each
One lot Men's Heavy Fleeced Shirts and Drawers, worth $1....75c suit
One lot Men's Heavy All Wool Double Breasted Suits, 34 to 40,
worth $8.50, they can't be matched, will give them away for....$5.00

ALL MY OVERCOATS AT COST DELIVERED.

One lot Jeans Pants, worth 75c, for..............50c
One lot Jeans Pants, worth $1.00, for..............75c
One lot All Wool Unshered Jeans Pants, (lined) worth $1.00, for.....85
Ladie's Fleeced Lined Gloves..............15c
Men's Heavy Cloth Gloves..............10c pair

And a good glove it is.

ALL MEN'S CLOTHING AT COST.

Yours, &c.,

GEO. W. CENTER.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 15, 1899.

...Druggist. ...lobe Democrat. Christmas with relatives in T...

ROUP THEORY.

A Writer Who Attributes the Trouble to Filth.

[S]tart an inquiry among recog[niz]ed poultry men as to the cause and cure for roup; there would [be no] "one general opinion," and a [great many] scattering opinions. The ma[jor]ity would vouch that it was [cau]sed by ill-built houses, draughts, [col]ds, dampness, and a multitude [of o]ther things all in this line. The [lis]t would fill a great deal more [spa]ce, for everybody so troubled [wou]ld have their own infallible cure. [Ker]osene ; lays an important part [in m]ost of the cures, the knife also [plays] a star role—but the hatchet is [cons]idered by most to be "the star [per]former."

Of course, I've been through it—[ev]erything that can happen to chick[ens] has traveled my way—in fact when I had the most chickens I had the most diversified trouble: thereby hangs a tale—I don't tell it all—but roup had considerable to do in changing the chicken affairs of poultrydom.

There was a time when, after considerable figuring, (you know that I like figuring) I had it all arranged to change the aspect of the poultry market, so took a partner—a male partner—a lusty strong man, with a bull head and ox strength—his strength and my brain were to revolutionize matters. I stood the financial strain; (strain is the proper word allright) well, I found out a few things before the partnership was dissolved, and among other things I formed a theory as to the origin of roup.

When my partner quit I had an elephant left on my hands. Business was pressing at the stock [y]ards, where I earn my daily bread, [so] the elephant had to do some hust[ling f]or itself. It didn't hustle [for] a cent, just layed down [and di]d. Yes it died a dirty, [miserable] roupy death, and it [was fr]om such ashes that Matt Baldwin formed his theory as to the cause of roup. Well, what caused it? You won't believe me if I say that I am rather modest, so I won't say it—yet I dread to put myself on record with the many older and doubtless wiser breeders opposing me; yet I do not think that a draughty house ever caused roup if kept clean. I don't think that chickens ever get roup through being out in a shower; but there is a situation which will inevitably cause roup, and it is this: Any house, well built or otherwise, in which the hens have to roost over their own accumulating excretions after night, week after week, month after month; those hens will take roup.

Have you ever yut your head in such house the first thing in the morning? If you have, you have encountered a cyclonic stink of such magnitude, that things material did not appeal to your appetite for several hours. Poor biddy has had to roost over that mess every night—is it any wonder that in breathing ammonia laden fetid odor that she contracted some trouble with her breathing apparatus, and that her nostrils and eyes became swollen and cankered? Go into one of these pokey, dirty houses with a spade and undertake cleaning it out, you will then know what I mean.

Hens seldom contract roup in extreme cold weather, it generally shows in the fall when the houses are overstocked with the season's raising; whereas in summer the hens only spend a few hours each night on the roost, in fact a good many of them are in broody coops; therefore the houses do not need quite as much care and cleaning as in the fall when the nights are long, all the young stock is crowded on the perches.

Another thing that strengthens my argument somewhat, is that roup, while very prevalent in amateurs' flocks, seldom visits the big breeding establishments; while the amatuer handles his flock "hit or miss," the big breeder whose bread and butter comes from "poultry," systemizes his business and avoids the pitfalls which we small fry constantly tumble into, sometimes through negligence (being too busy at our regular business), sometimes carelessness (do it-to-morrow-ness) and occasionally through ignorance. We all know that chickens should be kept clean, and it should be apparent that if not so kept biddy must suffer.

Just imagine a parallel case—ourselves sleeping over our own excrement—we might not take roup, but—the undertaker would take us.

I may be wrong in this as a roup theory, but practice what I preach and I know that your flock will be better off,

(This only applies to those who clean up every spring, fall, or "occasionally."—M. W. Baldwin.

An Unbiased Opinion.

It is not necessary to dwell on the merit of the Minorca; there has been enough placed to its credit already, and some have given more credit than belongs to the breed, as regards the size and quality of eggs combined. It has been said that "The Minorca lays the most eggs and the largest eggs of any breed." This is not in accordance with facts. There are others which lay as many as the Minorcas, and there are others which lay as large eggs, but there is not another breed which will lay as many of the same size as the Minorca. Let us state the facts, but it is not necessary to go beyond them.

There has been quite a controversy as to which is the best all-purpose fowl. Some claim one breed and some another, There is not one breed in existence that is better than all other breeds in this respect, There are very many which fill the bill and will suit anyone who fancies them. Many of our old standard breeds and many of the new breeds fill the full measure of the requirements in the hands of a true fancier who admires his own selected kind.

If I were to make a statement as to which was the best all-purpose fowl, if I were to write an article on that subject, it would be very short. I would not claim this for the Minorca, the Plymouth Rock, the Wyandotte or any other breed, because any of them as well as others, would fill the bill; but not exclusively. Right here let me give you an article on this subject, and here it goes; Drop out the small breeds, and then make the selection, no matter which, it is the one you like best. This is my article. If you want table qualities alone, don't take the Minorcas, because, although they are a first-class table fowl when bred up to the standard, there are others which would serve you better, but if you want a combination of flesh and eggs, with a preponderance of the latter, none will serve you better.—J. Y. Bicknell, in American Black Minorca Club Catalogue.

The Grain Fed Hen

must eat one half her weight of grain daily in the winter to be able to lay an egg a week. What she likes is the egg-making product found in meat. Summer time gives her grasshoppers, bugs and worms to supply her need. The rest of the year she needs what Darling & Co., supply in their Animal Meal Poultry Foods. You can prove this by trial. If you want your hens to lay eggs when eggs are most scarce, and therefore most profitable, use this great poultry food. Address Darling & Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago, for their free book, "Fill the Egg Basket.

SIR REDVERS BULLER.

Commander in Chief in South Africa Is Twelfth on the List of British Generals.

The list of field marshals in the British army is headed by the queen's cousin, the duke of Cambridge; and her son, the prince of Wales, is second. Her son-in-law, Prince Christian, is among those who hold the rank of general; and her son, the duke of Connaught, is third.

It is needless to say, remarks the Youth's Companion, that not one of these is ever called upon for active service in the field. When there is a war, great or small, a trained soldier is

SIR REDVERS BULLER.
(From the Latest Photograph of the British Leader in South Africa.)

chosen, and it is the British policy to give opportunity to as many as possible to distinguish themselves. Lord Wolseley won his repute in the Ashanti war and in Egypt; Lord Roberts in India and Afghanistan; and Lord Kitchener in the Soudan.

Now the command in South Africa went to Sir Redvers Buller, the twelfth on the list of generals—a man who has seen service in China, in Canada, and in the Ashanti, Kaffir and Zulu wars. He can append a long string of letters to his name—"K. C. M. G.," "G. C. B.," and the two magic letters which he doubtless prizes more than all the rest, "V. C." For Sir Redvers won the Victoria cross by two most conspicuous acts of personal bravery on one day during the Zulu campaign.

He is not a young man, for he has passed his sixtieth birthday. Nor is he a popular commander in the usual sense, of that term. He is tall and powerfully built, and looks the soldier he is—a commander who will stop at nothing, and who expects the men under his command to exhibit the same cool bravery that characterizes him.

His manners are abrupt and his disposition is combative. The story is told that he had a controversy with Lord Charles Beresford, during the Nile campaign, as to the proper channel to take in descending a cataract. Sir Redvers carried his point and the steamboat passed the cataract safely.

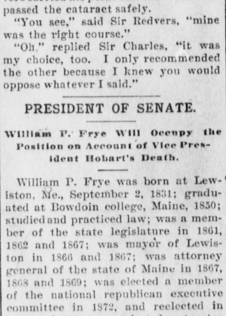
"You see," said Sir Redvers, "mine was the right course."

"Oh," replied Sir Charles, "it was my choice, too. I only recommended the other because I knew you would oppose whatever I said."

PRESIDENT OF SENATE.

William P. Frye Will Occupy the Position on Account of Vice President Hobart's Death.

William P. Frye was born at Lewiston, Me., September 2, 1831; graduated at Bowdoin college, Maine, 1850; studied and practiced law; was a member of the state legislature in 1861, 1862 and 1867; was mayor of Lewiston in 1866 and 1867; was attorney general of the state of Maine in 1867, 1868 and 1869; was elected a member of the national republican executive committee in 1872, and reelected in 1876 and 1880; was elected a trustee of Bowdoin college in June 1880, re-



WILLIAM P. FRYE.
(Presiding Officer of the United States Senate.)

ceived the degree of LL. D. from Bates college in July, 1881, and the same degree from Bowdoin college in 1889; was a presidential elector in 1864; was a delegate to the national republican conventions in 1872, 1876 and 1880; was elected chairman of the republican state committee of Maine in place of Hon. James G. Blaine, resigned, in November, 1881; was elected a representative in the Forty-second, Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh congresses; was elected to the United States senate as a republican, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of James G. Blaine, appointed secretary of state, took his seat March 18, 1881; was reelected in 1883, in 1888, and again in 1895, receiving every vote, with one exception, in both branches of the legislature; elected president pro tem. of the senate, February 7, 1896, was a member of the commission which met in Paris, September, 1898, to adjust terms of peace between the United States and Spain. His term of service will expire March 3, 1901.

IMPROVEMENTS SUGGESTED

For the Weather Bureau Service—Pension Talked of.

A bill has been introduced in Congress to improve the Weather Bureau Service of the United States, and bring it under the operations of the Civil Service law. The new measure provides that there shall be a competitive examination for all employes in this department of the Government, and only those who have passed the required examina tion shall be eligible to serve. Physical ability is one of the requirments that is essential to a place in the service. All promotions are to be based entirely on merit, and shall be made a regular order from one grade to the next. There are nine grades, the highest for those receiving more than $2,-50C and up to $6,000 inclusive, and the lowest those receiving from $360 to $720 a year. Provisions are made for the appointment of a number of new officers in the Weather Bureau, who are to be appointed, with the exception of the Chief of the Bureau, by the Secretary of Agriculture. A pension scheme is also suggested in the bill, wherein a certain percentage of each man's salary is withheld so that the Government is not put at any expense by the retirement of its employes. Under this bill, should it become a law, employes who have reached the age of 60 years, and have been employed 30 years, may be retired upon their own request, and shall be paid 60 per cent of the highest annual salary they may have received. Those who attain the age of 65 years, and have served 35 years, are to be compulsorily retired and get a pension of 75 per cent of their pay. In the case of removal this sum, otherwise withheld as a pension, is to be forfeited. Provision is also made for a Retirement Board. It is said that the chances for the passage of the bill are first class.

PACK OF WOLVES

Killing Stock of The Kentucky Mountain Farmers.

A pack of wolves is causing much uneasiness among farmers in the knobs near Horse Cave. They are very ferocious, and have killed sheep, hogs, calves and cows. They have been seen by many people. Wildcats are also a source of much alarm, not only because of their depredations among stock but because of their disposition to attack humans. A hunt is being arranged and the animals will be exterminated.

A Shocking Experience.

A Fulton young lady who has visited in an adjoining town, had a rather peculiar experience the other day. She was returning home and was tired, so, after sitting down, she leaned back and found that her head rested comfortably against something which she supposed to be part of the chair or some other fixture of the car.

Imagine her consternation as she got up to leave and found that her head had been reposing on the broad shoulder of a fat drummer.—Fulton Leader.

"Walk This Way, Lady."

A young lady walked into a store in a neighboring town the other day and wanted to see some goods which happened to be in the rear end of the building. With head erect and bow-legs wobbling the polite clerk started ahead of her, saying, "Walk this way, lady." She started, hesitated and with flashing eyes exclaimed: "You confounded little bow-legged demon, if I were a man I'd teach you better manners than to ask anybody, and especially a lady, to walk as you do.—Ex.

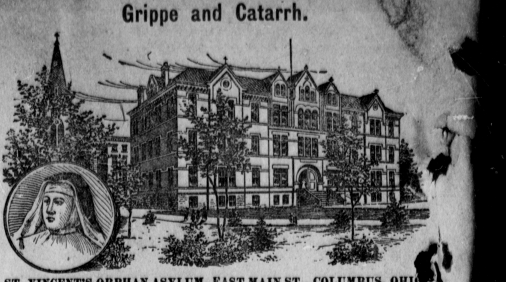
Only Vacation Needed.

We see that Rev J. S. Sweeney has resigned as pastor of the Christian church at Paris, Ky., to assume the duties of Auditor on the first Monday in January. Instead of resigning, the reverend gentleman should perhaps have asked a vacation of about two months from and after the first of January, or until such a time as the Legislature may get through with him.—Hustler.

Men who think married women more interesting than single ones are the fellowes who want to talk mostly of themselves. Wives are usually accustomed to self-sacrifice.

THE SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS USE PERUNA

Their Favorite Remedy for Coughs, Colds, La Grippe and Catarrh.



ST. VINCENT'S ORPHAN ASYLUM, EAST MAIN ST., COLUMBUS, OHIO.

Dr. S. B. Hartman:

"Some years ago a friend of our institution recommended to us Dr. Hartman's 'Pe-ru-na' as an excellent remedy for the la grippe, of which we then had several cases which threatened to be of a serious character.

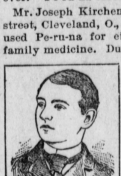
"We began to use it and experienced such wonderful results that since then Pe-ru-na has become our favorite medicine for influenza, catarrh, coughs, colds and bronchitis.

SISTERS OF ST. FRANCIS,
"St. Vincent's Orphan Asylum."

Mr. G. W. Aringe, of Collinsville, Tex., writes: "I have been using Pe-ru-na for cough I have had for some time. It has completely cured me, and I do heartily recommend it to those suffering from coughs and colds. I will praise Pe-ru-na forever." Pe-ru-na cures la grippe.

Mr. G. W. Aringe and Son.

Mr. Joseph Kirchensteiner, 87 Croton street, Cleveland, O., says: "We have used Pe-ru-na for eight years as our family medicine. During the whole of that time we have not had to employ a physician. Our family consists of seven, and we always use it for the thousand and one ailments to which mankind is liable. We have used it in cases of scarlet fever, measles and la grippe. Whenever one of the family feel in the least ill mother always says: 'Take Pe-ru-na and you will be well,' or, if we do not happen to have any, 'We will have to get more Pe-ru-na.' Pe-ru-na is always satisfactory in colds and coughs."



Mr. Joseph Kirchensteiner.

Free Correspondence.

The climatic diseases of winter are mainly coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis, tonsilitis and other catarrhal affections of the respiratory tract. Pe-ru-na is an absolute specific for all of these affections. Pe-ru-na will cure a cough or a cold in a very few days. Pe-ru-na will cure chronic catarrh even of years' standing in a few weeks. Pe-ru-na should be kept in every house as a safeguard against the many affections to which the family is liable during the winter season.

In every city and large town in the United States the Sister of Charity has become a familiar object. The Catholic Sisters—sweet messengers of charity, ceaseless and indefatigable in their labors—move quietly and swiftly in and out among the people, receiving, dispensing, assisting and comforting. Neither heat nor cold, fatigue or danger, deter them from their errands of mercy. They are to be found in palace and hovel; in the boulevard and brothel. Nothing daunts them. Nothing discourages them. Vast institutions of refuge for the homeless and hopeless have arisen in every city by their tireless labors.

By no means the least service they render helpless humanity is their dispensation of medicine. Their experience among the sick, and their anxiety to be of assistance to them, soon lead them to know the most efficient and safe remedies. It would be impossible that so popular and valuable a remedy as Pe-ru-na could have escaped their attention. Many letters have been received from institutions of this kind praising the benefit that Pe-ru-na has been to them.

Mr. Albert Borngraeber, of Mayville, Wis., says: "I want to tell you that I have been given good health by Pe-ru-na. In September, 1893, I caught a very bad cold. It settled on my lungs and I was troubled with night sweats and a terrible cough. I could not sleep part of the time. I could scarcely breathe. I began to take Pe-ru-na, and in a short time was entirely cured."

Mr. Albert Borngraeber.

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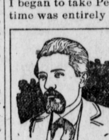

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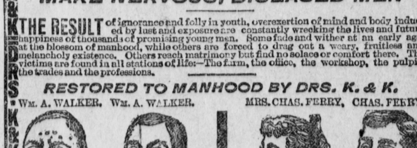

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HIS MANUSCRIPTS RETURNED.

They Were the Cause of a Singular Misunderstanding.

"I am having just now," said the struggling author, "an unpleasant and a most unlooked-for experience; that I believe nobody would ever have dreamed of anticipating. It springs incidentally out of the return of my manuscripts from the various publishers to whom I send them. Their return does not, of itself, disturb me, but it does, it seems, disturb the postman on our block, who doesn't know what to make of it, the coming to me of so many letters, all in one handwriting, which, I imagine, he more than suspects is my own.

"When I first moved into this neighborhood I used to get my ordinary run of mail, such as anybody with more or less friends and acquaintances might get, and the postman and I came to know each other, and he used to call me, when we met in the street, by name. How he came first to associate me with my name I don't know, but he knew it, and had it right, and did not forget it, and whenever we met in the street he would always say: 'Good morning, Mr. Struggling.'

"And that was always very pleasant. Then I began to get those envelopes, all addressed in the same handwriting, every week, and sometimes every day, and sometimes two or three in a day. And these strange thick envelopes came, not for a week, or a month or a year, but for years. Now it never occurred to me that anybody could be interested in this but me; but one morning when I met the postman he was blowing his whistle for a house that he was just turning in at and he didn't see me. I didn't think anything about this, but the next time I met him it was just the same; and pretty soon it was clear enough that he didn't want to see me; and it was all on account of those thick, peculiar letters in the same handwriting from so many different places, and in such numbers, and that year after year. He didn't know what to make of it; and the fact was that he was suspicious of my letters and of me. Maybe I was a green-goods man and these were letters from come-ons, or something of that sort.

"Now that was pretty tough. It was bad enough to have the stuff come back, but a good deal worse to have it thus made the cause of a groundless suspicion on the part of a man with whom my relations had been friendly. But what could I do about it? Nothing! I couldn't go out to him and say:

"'See here, old man, this is all right. I am an, as yet, unrecognized author; and all these envelopes simply contain my rejected manuscripts sent out to various publishers and returned to me in the stamped and addressed envelopes that I send for that purpose. That's all; they're all right.'

"I couldn't, you know; I couldn't go out and say anything like that to him. All I could do was to take it philosophically and make the best of it, and wait. It's one of a thousand misunderstandings that are all the time happening among people, and that are best left alone, to work themselves out to their own explanation, or perhaps be explained when some really opportune occasion offers, or maybe never.

"But the things that are worth setting right get set right, somehow, in time. And that's what will happen here; and it's only a question of time. Some day those thick envelopes all in one handwriting will stop coming; and in the place of them will begin to come thin ones, addressed not all in one hand, but in various hands; and these envelopes, one and another, will have printed upon them, in the left-hand corner, the names of publishers, and they will contain not returned manuscripts, but checks. It won't take long for the postman to tell this new current. It will take him less time yet to realize what it means. Some day when I meet him I shall hear him saying, with even more than his accustomed cheeriness: "'Good morning, Mr. Struggling, good morning!'"—N. Y. Sun.

The pug will have no Christmas box in St. Louis this year.

Why shouldn't the bobby us well as the burglar have a merry Christmas?

Shall The Feather be Pulled?

Some high poultry authority said, in a recent issue of a poultry journal, that it should. If the pulling of the feather would only pull the blood that produced it, then it would be a most desirable "pull," and one every breeder would enjoy and appreciate, but as this result is not accomplished, we are confronted by that simple, homely, disagreeable old back number of a question—"Is it honest?" Suppose we "tote fair" just a moment and see where it lands us. Would you like to be "worked" in that way by some one else? If not, do you think it's right to assume the role of a "grafter" yourself.

Think it over and decide it as seems to you right, and also remember then upon your decision in the matter will depend in a large measure your future success. We admit that it is harder to breed disqualifications out of your birds than to pull them out, so also is it a harder and slower process to get a dollar by honest work, than by questionable means, but most of us prefer the joy of the former to the sting of the latter. We are ever anxious that the grade of the birds be kept up, let us breed them the very best we know how, but if while we are improving their "markings" we can also improve the morals of some who style themselves fanciers, it would be a mighty good thing for them, as well as for the business generally.—W. G. & P. Journal.

Prosperity For The Farmer.

We are getting in this country just now some fine evidences of prosperity for the farmer. It consists in a big advance under the trusts of nearly every thing the farmer has to buy without any aduance in what he has to sell

Wheat corn, cattle and hogs the principal products of the Hardin county farmer are worth not a cent more than they were this time last year on the Louisville market while the following list of prices gathered from our Elizabethtown dealers show the advance in what the farmer has to buy:

Nails in 1898 were worth at retail $2 a keg. They are worth now $4.50. Galvanized wire in 1898 $1.85 now $4.

Barbed wire $2 now $4.25.

Axes 60 cents now 75 cents.

All tin ware increased fifty per cent.

All stoves an advance of forty per cent.

Scoops 65 cents in 1898 now worth $1.

Bolts, an increase of sixty per cent.

Road wagons increased from $50 to $58.

Buggies from $55 to $60.

Binders from $120 to $130.

Mowers from $40 to $45.

Drills from $65 to $70.

All kind of plows have advanced from twenty to twenty-five per cent.

All kinds of lumber have advanced an average of thirty-five per cent.

To illustrate how this big advance, principally by the trusts that have grown up under McKinley's administration, effects the farmer last year he could buy a keg of nails for two and a half bushels of wheat it now takes six bushels of wheat to buy the same keg of nails.

Last year he could buy one hundred pounds of fecing wire for two and a half bushels of wheat, it now takes seven bushels to buy the same.

Last year he could buy a scoop for a bushel of wheat now it takes ovea a a bushels and a half.

It takes twelve bushels more of wheat to buy a road wagon that it did last year.

It takes nine bushels more to buy a buggy.

It takes fifteen bushels more to buy a binder, eight bushels more to buy a mower or a drill.

It takes twice as much wheat to buy $10 worth of tin ware.

It takes fifty bushels more of wheat to buy $10 worth of dressed lumber.

It takes from ten to twenty bushels more to buy a cook stove.

The same thing applies if measured in hogs, cattle and corn.

The only way to stop this kind of prosperity to the farmer it to break up the trusts and the only way to break up the trusts is to turn out the Republican party, which has permitted them to grow and has fostered them with a high protective tairff so as to shut off foreign competition.—Elizabethtown News.

FOR PNEUMONIA.

Dr. C. J. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Tar in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month with good results."

Great Britain now has not only a standing but a running army.

A TIMELY HINT.

You should be wise and see that your blood is rich and pure and your whole system put in a perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder. Then you will be free from malaria, typhoid fever, colds and the grip. Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder is the best medicine money can buy.

For your Cold try Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. Price 25c and 50c a Bottle.

For sale by

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The Uncle Paul Kruger style of whiskers may be the new style for the new century.

The person who disturbed the congregation last Sunday by coughing is requested to call on Anderson & Fowler and get a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar, which always gives relief.

The men who were behind Buller's 11 guns are probably not thanking the British jingoes for precipitating war.

LOST.

Many have lost confidence and hope as well as health, because they have been told their Kidney disease was incurable. Foley's Kidney Cure is a Guaranteed remedy for the discouraged and disconsolate. Sold by Anderson & Fowler.

Baron Roberts may prove a barren ideality. Several ideal British Generals have already been disposed of by the Boers.

Chapped hands, cracked lips and roughness of the skin cured quickly by Banner Salve, the most healing ointment in the world. 25c. Sold by Anderson & Fowler.

A California Judge has decided that when a man stays away from home until a late hour it is one of the burdens which the wife has to bear. Would the Judge take a similar view in case of a woman's nocturnal absence from "her own fireside?"

No man can work well with a torpid liver or constipated bowels. A few doses of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS will quickly remove this condition and make work a pleasure.

The train robbers who robbed the Pullman passengers near Kansas City expressed surprise that palace car passengers had so little money. Possibly the robbers got in after the porter had been around.

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A morning organ represents St. Louis in chains. Can't Uncle Henry's remit mill be turned to good use in releasing "St. Louis?" Or is that for criminals only?

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Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Cascarets, Candy Cathartic clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the lazy liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin to-day to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Cascarets—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed, 10c, 25c, 50c.

It is the opinion of the Bible-reading Bore that Gen. Buller will sup with the devil long before eating a Christmas dinner in Pretoria.

Holiday Excursion Rates

For the Christmas and New Year Holidays, the Illinois Central R. R. will sell round trip tickets to all points on it's Southern lines, to all points on the St. Louis Division, between Paducah and St. Louis, Cairo and Ashley inclusive, and to all points on the Yazoo & Mississippi Valey R. R., at rate of one and one third fare. Tickets will be sold on Dec. 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, and 31, and Jan. 1., limited to date of sale for going passage, and to Jan. 4th. for return.

Account of Meeting of Southern Association the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to Memphis on Dec. 25th., and 26th., at rate of One Fare plus $2.00. Return tickets limited to Jan. 8th.

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WEST BOUND	NO 41	NO 43	NO 45
Lv. Louisville	7 37 a m	4 50 p m	8 35 p m
Irvington	9 23 a m	6 43 p m	
Cloverport	10 18 a m	7 39 p m	10 46 p m
Hawesville	10 43 a m	8 04 p m	11 08 p m
Owensboro	11 40 a m	9 05 p m	11 58 p m
Henderson	12 45 p m	10 10 p m	12 55 a m
Evansville	1 20 p m		1 25 a m
Ar. St. Louis	7 10 p m		7 20 a m

EAST BOUND	NO 42	NO 44	NO 46
Lv. St. Louis		8 40 a m	8 55 p m
Evansville	6 50 a m	2 20 p m	2 45 a m
Henderson	7 15 a m	2 46 p m	3 10 a m
Owensboro	8 18 a m	3 44 p m	4 00 a m
Hawesville	9 17 a m	4 40 p m	4 50 a m
Cloverport	9 45 a m	5 03 p m	5 10 a m
Irvington	10 45 a m	6 03 p m	
Ar. Louisville	12 35 p m	7 45 p m	7 30 a m

FORDSVILLE BRANCH.

	NO 3	NO 5
Lv Irvington	10 50 a m	6 45 p m
Ar Hardinsburg	11 38 a m	7 28 p m
Ar Fordsville	1 20 p m	9 15 p m

	NO 2	NO 4
Lv Fordsville	6 30 a m	3 15 p m
Lv Hardinsburg	8 15 a m	5 00 p m
Ar Irvington	9 00 a m	5 45 p m

Trains 41, 42, 43 and 44 connect at Irvington with Trains No 3 and 5 for points on Fordsville Branch.

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	No 332 daily	No 334 daily	No 340 daily
Lv Hopkinsville	5 00 a m	11 30 a m	5 00 p m
Ar Princeton	6 00 a m	12 40 p m	7 00 p m
Ar Henderson	9 20 a m	4 55 p m	
Ar Evansville		p m	

Lv Princeton	9 29 a m	12 55 p m
Ar Louisville	4 45 p m	5 45 p m

Lv Princeton	6 05 a m	2 50 p m
Ar Paducah	9 00 a m	4 35 p m
Ar Memphis		10 50 p m
Ar New Orleans		10 00 a m

No 341 arrives at Hopkinsville 9 30 a m
No 333 arrives at Hopkinsville 4 00 p m
No 331 arrives at Hopkinsville 9 20 p m

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L. & N. TIME TABLE.

TRAINS SOUTH

No. 55—Hopkinsville Ac. 6:15 a. m
No. 53—Fast Line....... 6:00 a. m
No. 51—Fast Mail....... 5:27 p. m
No. 91—N. O. Limited....12:08 a. m

TRAINS NORTH.

No. 92—Chicago Limited 9:33 p. m
No. 52—St. Lou. Ex. & mail 9:45 a. m
No. 56—Hopkinsville Ac. 8:30 p. m
No. 54—Fast Line...... 10:24 p. m

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—TUESDAY, DEC. 26, 1899.—

Following its time-honored custom never shipping a cog in the wheel time, the KENTUCKIAN will appear usual this week.

...he train robbers who went ...ough a crowded Pullman car ...west and got only $100 must ...e over-looked the porter.

Chief Justice David L. Snodgrass, of the Tennessee Supreme Court, has formally announced his candidacy for the United States Senate.

Bills were presented in the House and Senate by Mr. Landis and Mr. Fairchild, respectively, to grant a pension of $2,000 a year to the widow of Gen Lawton.

Miss Lee Gordon Giltner, of Eminence, Ky., will soon issue a volume of verses. The title of the book will be "The Gate of Dreams." Miss Giltner is a handsome and charming woman.

Winston Churchill, the British newspaper correspondent and author of Richard Carvel, captured by the Boers, has escaped from Pretoria and arrived safely at Delagoa Bay.

The holiday edition of the Sebree Herald contained twenty-two pages, some of them handsomely illustrated, and was filled with choice, live, interesting matter and attractive advertisements. It was a most creditable number.

Commonwealth's Attorney Jake Rowe, of Owensboro, has again been indicted for drunkenness. His friends seem to have lost all hope of reforming this bright but weak young man and this time his removal from office is not unlikely.

Hon. B. A. Enloe, former editor of the Louisville Dispatch, while it was a Democratic paper, has returned to Jackson, Tenn., and is a candidate for Congress. The district is now represented by Congressman Sims.

A negro woman in Winchester, Ky., was married Wednesday night to a soldier in a colored company at Fort Wingate, N. M. 1713 miles away. The ceremony was performed by wire with a preacher at each end of the line.

John Westover, of the Williamstown Courier, wants to go to Congress and all of the newspaper boys are for him. Al Berry will be turned down by some straight Democrat and there is no better man than Westover to do the work.

The Delineator, the greatest of the fashion publications, has donned a beautiful new cover. The magazine has been published for 27 years and gets better each issue. The Butterick Publishing Co., 7 to 17 West 13th street, New York, gets out this excellent publication.

H... T. J. Nickell, representative-elect from Crittenden and Livingston, has been quite sick for the past ...a days, and his friends fear that ...will not be able to attend the ...ning session of the legislature. "Uncle Jeff," however, says he ... if he has to be carried on a stretcher.

We ... not quit paying for the Philippines when the $20,000,000 went to Spain. The cost includ... already several hundred soldiers killed in battle or ... by disease. Of the commissioned officers the Captains and ... are too numerous to mention. ... have been three or four Colonels and now a Major General.

J... ..., Moody, the greatest evangel... America has ever known, died ... and his place will probably never be filled. Mr. Moody held ... revival in this city a few ... ago and the news of his death ... with the keenest ...ll who attended his meet-...

McQuown & Bradburn, of Bowling Green, will be leading counsel for Goebel and Beckham. Other attorneys in these and the minor contests will be James Andrew Scott, Jno. K. Hendrick, Jas. D. Black, Jno. F. Hager and Thos. F. Hargis. All of the lawyers will work together. The contests for Governor and Lieutenant Governor will be tried at once by the Legislature, as it is not necessary to wait 60 days, and the minor contests will come up early in February. Gov. Goebel will probably be in office before the other contests are called.

Judge Jno. A. Fulton is the right kind of a man to make an Election Commissioner. He is able, fearless and honest and will do his duty with a clear head and a brave purpose. And by-the-way there is no better man in Kentucky for the other vacancy than Dr. John D. Clardy, of Christian county. He would give all the "true and dignity" necessary to the Commission and at the same time perform the duties of the office with the ability and integrity that characterizes his every action. Let it be Clardy.

The Democratic organization of Kentucky has issued an address upon the subject of the contests for state offices. The following paragraph is reason enough:

"If the Board of Election Commissioners had no authority to pass upon the question at issue (as it declared it had not), we simply propose to go to those who have this authority, and abide by the judgment that may be rendered. What the law shall declare to be ours we claim. We ask no more; we will take no less."

Congressman Allen has introduced a bill for a public building at Hopkinsville. Hopkinsville has about as much use for a $50,000 federal building as a hog has for a spring bonnet.—Madisonville Hustler.

Clarksville and many other cities of less importance than Hopkinsville have public buildings and this fling from our neighboring city, in no sense a commercial rival, is to say the least very unkind.

Miss Lizzie Baker and Miss Susie Roach, of Pleasureville, climbed out of their windows at midnight, with the aid of ladder, and eloped with their lovers, R. G. Roach and Wm. Wilhite, respectively. They crossed the Ohio river, after a cold ride of many miles, and were married at Madison, Ind.

Congressman Eddy is the ugliest man in the House and he knows it. A reference to his personal appearance therefore causes no annoyance. During his canvass for election, his opponent charged him with being two-faced on certain issues, when he responded, "I'll leave it to any one here whether if I had two faces I would be wearing this one."

At the meeting of the State Election Board Saturday Commissioners W. S. Pryor and W. T. Ellis both resigned. The remaining member, under the law giving him that power, appointed Judge Jno. A. Fulton, of Bardstown, to succeed Judge Pryor. The Commission will meet again Thursday to select Capt. Ellis' successor.

R. E. Cook, a councilman-elect of Henderson, had his right to a seat in the council questioned upon the ground that he was not a "freeholder." He proved his eligibility by showing that he owned a one-fourth interest in a cemetery lot.

Demorest's Magazine has been sold to Robt. Bonner's Sons and will be discontinued, the fashion features being continued as a department of the New York Ledger.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

We the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesome Druggists, Toledo, O. WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, Ohio.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c. per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Hall's Family Pills ...

Thirty-two authors, ten illustrators and eight photographic artists contribute to the excellent January issue of the Ladies' Home Journal. Among the special features are "The Home-coming of the Nakannies," by W. A. Fraser; "The Boy Girl of South Africa," by Howard C. Hillegas; "Where the New Century Will Really Begin," by John Ritchie, Jr.; "A Merry Woman's Letters to a Quiet Poet," edited by S. T. Pickard; "The Mother of the Stars," by Amelia H. Botsford; "A National Crime at the Feet of American Parents," by Edward Bok; "The Minister and the Organ," by Ian Maclaren; "The Rehearsal of a Play;" Molly Donahue's Musicale, by the author of "Mr. Dooley;" "Edith and I in Paris," "Her Boston Experiences," "The Autobiography of a Girl," etc. By the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar a year; ten cents a copy.

June Gayle's official majority over Bill Owens, in the Seventh district, is 4,136. He will go to Washington about Jan. 15 to take his seat in the House.

Louisville's city tax rate has been fixed at $1.64, a reduction of 20 cents.

SLID INTO THE SEA.

Rock on Which Stood a Hotel Gives Way, Carrying Destruction With It.

Rome, Dec. 22.—This afternoon at Amalfi, the popular tourist resort on the gulf of Salerno, an enormous rock upon which stood the Cappuccini hotel slid boldily into the sea without a moment's warning, carrying with it the hotel and the old Capuchin monastery below, the hotel Santa Calerina and several villas. Ten people were buried in the debris, which crushed four vessels to the bottom of the sea.

Amalfi is a small town of 7,000 inhabitants.

Bouquet For Mr. Green.

Mr. Geo. V. Green, of Hopkinsville, Christian county, is a candidate before the Legislature for Prison Commissioner to succeed Mr. George, whose term expires with the next session of the Legislature. Mr. Green is a successful farmer and Jersey cattle breeder, a thorough Democrat and an incorruptible gentleman. If elected he will give the State honest service and a business administration of prison affairs.—Farmers Home Journal.

"Si Perkins" Company.

Among the few theatrical organizations which have weathered the financial gale of the past season none has fought a more successful battle than the "Si Perkins" company. The wolf of hard times always knocks loudest at theatrical doors. The theatre is a luxury; and during financial depression, luxuries must be lopped off.

No higher praise can be awarded a company than to say it was successful during the past season. Fully 80 per cent. (so say the dramatic journals) of the road attractions which started out last September either failed entirely or played their engagements under great financial distress and loss. "Si Perkins" started from the east in August last, played to the Pacific coast and is now enroute East again—a total of over 40 weeks continuous success. "Si Perkins," with its wealth of fun and laughter, will be present with all the original scen... at Holland's Opera House Monday evening, Jan. 1. A parade of the famous "Rube" band will start from the opera house at 11:15 ... and ... service will expire ...

A SURE CURE FOR CROUP.

Twenty-five Years' Constant Use Without a Failure.

The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record—twenty-five years' constant use without a failure. For sale by R. C. Hardwick Druggist.

The albino quail killed in Arkansas was a real Bob White.

Son of an Ohio Merchant Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I pursued him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited.—THOMAS C. BOWER, Glencoe, O. For Sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Some people are never happy unless they are in command, and then only so because everybody else is otherwise.

Tetter, Salt-Rheum and Eczema.

The intense itching and smarting incident to these diseases, is instantly allayed by applying Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointmhnt. Many very bad cases have been permanently cured by it. It is equally efficient for itching piles and a favorite remedy for sore nipples, chapped hands, chilblains, frost bites and chronic sose eyes. 25 cts. per box. Eor sale by R. C. Hardwick.

But will Great Britain cut any ice if she shall continue to waste her strength in fighting South African Dutchmen?

DR. CADY'S CONDITION POWDERS, are just what a horse needs when in bad condition. Tonic, blood purifier and vermifuge. They are not food but medicine and the best in use to put a horse in pirme condition. Price 25 cents per package. For sale by R. C. Hardwick.

Writers sometimes starve on lays and thrive on lies.

For broken limbs, chilblains, burns, scalds, bruised shins, sore throat, and sores of every kind, apply BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It will give immediate relief and heal any wound. Price 25 cts. and 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

A political dark horse is a night mare to the avowed canidates.

In sluggish liver, HERBINE, by its beneficial action upon the biliary tracts, renders the bile more fluid, and brings the liver into a sound, healthy condition, thereby banishing the sense of drowsiness, lethargy and the general feeling of apathy which arise from disorders of the liver. Price 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

We always hear from the man who is in arrears.

The disposition of children largely depends upon health. If they are troubled with worms they will be irritable, cross, feverish, and perhaps seriously sick. WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE is a worm expeller and tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick

The man who dissipates wants a doctor to be his risk curer.

He Knows Whereof He Writes.

An editor prints his paper to give his patrons the news of the day and for the money there is in it. He is presumed to know of what he writes, and he generally does. When he writes as he does in the Leader Courier, Osceola Mills, Pa., without fee or hope of reward, that "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts magically, and we have found none better in our household. If you have a cough, try it," it may be accepted as an honest expression, worthy of credence. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

When a man has a drink record he is apt to light out.

In billiousness, HERBINE, by expelling from the body the excess of bile and acids, improves the assimilative processes, purifies the blood, and tones up and strengthens the entire system. Price 50 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Dont try to down trouble by raising Cain or checks.

Gaining A Wide Reputation.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlains Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnson of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and pained me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me." For sale by R. C. Hardwick, Druggist.

HOSIERY.

Not only good but shapely regular made Hosiery that commends itself for appearance as well as firmness; they look well and wear well and they fit. Do you know the comfort of a perfect fitting stocking? Curious how many women overlook this, but will appreciate the difference when you try these; absolutely fast dye.

10c a pair	for Ladies Fast Black Seamless Hose, double heel and sole, 40 guage, well worth 15c.
25c a pair	For the nicest, finest and smoothest Stocking in the city, usual value 35c.
25c a pair	for Ladies' fleeced lined and wool Hose in black and gray, better quality at 35c.
10c a pair	for Children's fast black Hose, well worth 15 cents.
25c a pair	for Black Cat Stockings for boys and girls; the best in America for the price. For sale here only.

UNDERWEAR for women and children at last season's prices, notwithstanding there have been advances of from 20 to 35 cents.

25 cents	for Ladies heavy ribbed Cotton Shirts or drawers, in white or gray, worth 35c.
50 cents	for fine smooth silk finish Vest or Pants, white only, worth 75c.
50 cents	for all wool shirts, worth 85 cents.

GANT & SLAYDEN.

"Dodge's Trip to New York."

On Thursday, Dec. 28 the management offer the theatre-goers of this city a novelty in the shape of a musical farce comedy called "Dodge's Trip to New York," which will be interpreted by the Henshaw-TenBroeck Comedy Company with John E. Henshaw, the prince of entertainers and the 20 artists who make up the company. The vehicle in which Mr. Henshaw and TenBroeck are starring this season, is "Dodge's Trip to New York" and the complications which arise during the performance are attributable to a visit to the French Ball in New York by Howell I. Dodge, a bank president from a rural village in New Jersey. There is said to be ample scope afforded in the slight thread of a story to meet all the requirements of a farce comedy. The piece has achieved a decided success and is from all accounts the time allotted to its presentation is filled with something clever enough to divert the mind of a theatre goer from business cares and other worries that induce people to seek recreation in the theatre. The fact that it is simply a big entertainment in which no claim is made for much of a plot and no effort aimed at except to amuse for the time being has given Mr. Henshaw a wide latitude for improving on the author's original version by the infusion of plenty of specialty features and arranging a musical repertoire that sparkles with latest compositions. There are more than two dozen songs and choruses scattered throughout the three acts and in the entire list it is claimed there are few that have done service in any farcical play that has been presented here. As the bucolic bank president Dodge, Mr. Henshaw is credited with making a much more emphatic success than he disported himself in "The Nabobs" a few years ago. He is a refined, graceful and pleasing comedian with an excellent singing voice, a pair of very nimble neither extremities and originality and fun making that makes his work positively refreshing. Miss TenBroeck Mr. Henshaw's worthy partner in the fun, is credited with playing the part of his stage wife, that few comediennes could excel. She wears some very elegant costumes that have pleased the ladies very much wherever "Dodge's Trip to New York" has been played this season. The supporting company is very strong, and is said to be equal to any musical comedy company now traveling.

Death of the First Plural Wife.

The first Mormon woman to enter polygamy died here Saturday. Her name was Mrs. E. D. P. Young, and she was the widow of Brigham Young. She was born at Painesville, O., in 1824. She married Joseph Smith, the first Mormon prophet at Nauvoo, Ill., with the consent of Smith's first wife. This was shortly after the revelation commanding polygamy was handed down. After the death of Joseph Smith she married Brigham Young. She was one of George Q. Cannon's several mothers-in-law, and died a firm believer in the divine origin of latter-day polygamy.—[Salt Lake City telegram to the St. Louis Globe Democrat.

City Market House.

Large Fat Mackerel, the finest Fish in Hopkinsville.......10c Each.
Potted Ham, Chicken, Soups, Canned Salmon, French Sardines
Salmon Steak,
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FRESH EVERY DAY.
Try us with your orders.
BIG STOCK.
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Opera House.

One Night, THURSDAY, DEC. 28
Engagement of
Henshaw and Ten-Broeck,
Presenting their latest musical comedy,
"Dodge's Trip to New York."
With all the latest musical gems from "The Man in the Moon," "Gay-Paree" and "The Rounders."
Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c and $1.00.

ONE NIGHT ONLY,
THURSDAY, JAN. 1st,
The Comedian,
SAMUEL J. BURTON,
and the charming Comedienne,
MISS LILLIE COLEMAN,
in the new
SI PERKINS

A Superb Scenic Production. A Hip! Hurrah! Hilarious Sensational Comedy Drama, a Rousing Rally of Fun, Laughter and Yells. The Great Production is Headed by the NOTED SI PERKINS, Solo Orchestra of twelve skilled musicians, is the strongest ever presented to the public by a traveling company for a first-class performance is the best of music rendered in an artistic manner—especially is this so in Si Perkins. Where a good orchestra is absolutely necessary. See the Street Parade at noon by the famous PAUGHTOWN FARMER BAND. Free Concert in front of Opera House at 7 o'clock p. m.

Prices 25c, 35c, 50c, and 75c.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

HARPER Whisky is rapidly becoming the national beverage. It's the one thing all parties agree upon, Republicans, Democrats, Populists. Even the "knownothing" party knows the merits of HARPER Whiskey.

SOLD BY W. R. LONG, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Rubber Tires.

If you want to get real pleasure out of your evening drives, take your carriage to West & Lee, and have them to put on a set of their elegant rubber tires. They have the ... equipped plant in the South ... guarantee work and prices. Give home enterprise a chance.

Notice.

All persons holding claims against the estate of the late W. W. Ware, or Julia Ware deceased, are hereby notified to file same with me verified and proven before the undersigned within the next sixty days.

C. H. BUSH, Admr.
W. W. WARE and administrator with the will annexed of Miss Julia Ware. Hopkinsville, Ky.
December 9th 1899.

Miss Alice Scobey is spending Christmas with relatives in Tenn.

Keep Coughing

Only keep it up long enough and you will succeed in reducing your weight, losing your appetite, bringing on a slow fever, and making everything exactly right for the germs of consumption. Stop coughing and you will get well.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

cures coughs. An ordinary cough disappears in a single night. The racking coughs of bronchitis soon disappear. And even the coughs of consumption are either completely checked or greatly lessened. Three sizes: $1.00; 50c. All druggists. J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

CRUCE-TANDY.

Hopkinsville Lady And Arkansas Gentleman Married Yesterday.

The marriage of Miss Annie Tandy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tandy, of this city, to Mr. Harry Cruce, a prominent young business man of Fort Smith, Ark., was solemnized at the latter place yesterday.

The bride possesses fine intellect and was one of the most popular ladies of the city. For several years she was book-keeper for the Hopkinsville Steam Laundry and some time ago went to Fort Smith, where she has since been holding the position of business manager of the branch laundry at that place. Her legion of friends here wish her much joy and a long journey through life.

HARNED-KING.

Christian County Farmer Will Wed Alabama Lady To-day.

At 8:30 o'clock tonight at the Methodist church in Leighton, Alabama, Mr. Fred Harned, of this city, and Miss Pauline King, an accomplished Southern belle, will be joined in marriage.

Mr. Harned, who is a son of Mr. B. W. Harned, is a prosperous and popular young farmer and his host of friends wish for him and his bride a long and pleasant wedded life.

His bride is the daughter of Mr. Paul S. King, of Leighton, one of Alabama's large cotton planters and wholesale merchants, and is a highly cultured lady. She is well known in this city, having frequently visited friends here.

Mr. Harned and his bride will return to this city this week.

TRIGG COUNTY WEDDINGS.

One Couple Married And Another Similar Event Scheduled.

Cadiz, Ky., Dec. 21.—Mr. Edward McKinney, a leading young Cerulean farmer, and Miss Valsie Ladd, daughter of Mr. Daniel Ladd, of the same neighborhood, were married at the Court House here yesterday by Judge John D. Shaw.

Prof. Dan H. Hillman, youngest son of the late W. W. Hillman, and Miss Ettie Husk, daughter of Mr. John H. Husk, of near Wallonia, will be joined in marriage next Wednesday. Rev. I. N. Strother will perform the ceremony. The marriage will take place at the home of the bride's parents.

GIANT.

BRADSHAW-WORSHAM.

Carl Couple Married at Home of Bride Sunday.

Mr. Perry L. Bradshaw and Miss ...la B. Worsham, young people living near Carl, this county, were married at 6 o'clock Sunday evening. The event took place at the home of the bride.

ARMSTRONG-CANSLER.

Era Couple Joined in Wedlock Sunday Evening.

Mr. John L. Armstrong and Miss ... Cansler, of near Era post-office, were united in marriage Sunday ... at 7 o'clock, Rev. W. E. ... performed the ceremony.

HARTON-LACY.

Popular Young Hopkinsville People Surprised Their Friends.

Mr. Harry Lee Harton and Miss Lula C. Lacy sprung a surprise upon their many friends by marrying yesterday afternoon. The happy event took place at the home of Rev. H. D. Smith, the officiating clergyman, at 4:30 o'clock.

The couple left on the 5:27 train for Russellville, where they will spend the week visiting the groom's relatives.

The groom is a well known and very popular young business man and has held a position with Mr. A. W. Pyle, the furniture dealer, for the past two years.

His bride is a daughter of Mr. C. F. Lacy, who resides on South Virginia street, and is an exceedingly popular and attractive lady.

On their return to this city they will take rooms with the bride's parents for the present.

WOODRUFF-REESE.

Empire Scene of a Pretty Wedding Last Night.

Empire was the scene of a pretty wedding last night, the contracting parties being Mr. John Woodruff and Miss Willie Reese. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Porter Gladdish. The event took place at the bride's home.

HILL-WRIGHT.

Mayfield Gentleman and Sinking Fork Lady Will Wed.

Mr. Ira M. Hill, of Mayfield, and Miss Lenora J. Wright, of Sinking Fork, this county, will be married at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The event will take place at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Ransom will officiate.

WIGGINS-BOWLING.

Well-Known Empire People Will be Married To-night.

Mr. Wm. Wiggins and Miss Nelia Bowling, popular young people of Empire, will be united in marriage to-night. Rev. Porter Gladdish will perform the ceremony.

Madisonville Marriage.

Mr. J. E. Myers, a popular traveling man of Louisville, and Miss Minnie Dempsey, of Madisonville, were married yesterday. The bride is a sister of Hon. J. F. Dempsey.

Henshaw and Ten Broeck Coming.

John E. Henshaw and May Ten Broeck again make their bow this season to the public they have so long amused with an eleaborate production dressed up in new trimmings, bedecked with new humor and bespangled with new ideas called Dodge's Trip to New York. It is said to eclipse all former efforts of this funny team as a laughiociter. Frank Tannehill, Jr., author of the "Nancy Hanks" was engaged to re-write and re-constructed the price and he has made practically new roles for all the people. Mr. Henshaw has a fitting vehicle for his fun in the character of Howell I. Dodge of the Mosquitoville, N. J. bank, while entertaining Miss May Ten Broeck will be seen as Zenobia Dodge, an amateur stage manageress of operetta. A humber of pretty girls and funny comedians will indulge in the merry making and altogether it may be said the new comedy will prove more enticing as a laugh provoker than any other. Among the novelties will be all the latest successes from New York and London. It will be seen at Holland's Opera House, Thursday, Dec. 28.

Good Time Promised.

"Si Perkins" is coming and a good time is promised to those who love good, wholesome fun. Starting last August from New York, the company played across the continent to the Pacific coast and is now on the way East. Taking advantage of the cool weather of Colorado, Manager Harpstrite deemed it good policy to play the state before closing his season. The play will be presented Monday, Jan. 1 at the Opera House. The famous "Si Perkins" band will give a street parade, beginning at 11:45 o'clock.

Mr. Taylor Moss and Miss Laura Wilkins, popular young people living in the Oak Grove neighborhood of this county, were married in Clarksville last Thursday afternoon.

AS IN A HORSE RACE.

Jack Chinn's Opinion on the Status of Electing Bets.

Louisville, Dec. 21.—Mr. Jack Chinn, the well-known horse starter, was asked in a crowd the other day what he thought about the payments of bets on the election. "It's just like a horse race," said he. "When the horses pass under the wire the judges put up the numbers, one, two, three, showing the order in which the horses passed under the wire. But you don't get your money on that. The judges consider the matter, and possibly a jockey says his horse was fouled on the back stretch. The boys are called up, the judges hear their statements, and, as it often happens, they set back the horse that first passed under the wire. Then the man that had his money on number one loses, while the other wins. It's the same in the race of Goebel and Taylor. The judges have flashed up Taylor's number, but Goebel claims a foul in the home stretch, and the legislature is going to call up the witnesses and decide which horse wins. They may disqualify Taylor for fouling, and if they do, in my opinion the sports that have their money on the Goebel horse are winners. In the eyes of a sporting man the same rule applies to a bet on a horse race, or any other kind of race.

BY AN ELEPHANT

Was Trainer Meager Killed—Tusk Thrust Through Body.

Pat Meagher, better known as "Patsey Forepaugh," the head elephant trainer in the Sells-Forepaugh circus, was killed at Columbus, O., last week by Sid, the king beast of the drove of elephants belonging to the show. The show is in winter quarters at Columbus and Meagher was putting the beasts through their daily exercise and military drills, when Sid refused to obey an order, and, when "bull hooked" he attacked his trainer, forcing his tusks through his body. Meagher was in Hopkinsville with the Sells-Forepaugh shows October 25 last and will be remembered by many who attended the circus. The elephant's life will probably pay the penalty of the fatal attack upon his keeper as that of "Chief" did in Cincinnati some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pasmore, of Breckenridge, Colo., are here on a visit to Mrs. Pasmore's relatives.

That Cough Hangs On

You have used all sorts of cough remedies but it does not yield; it is too deep seated. It may wear itself out in time, but it is more liable to produce la grippe, pneumonia or a serious throat affection. You need something that will give you strength and build up the body.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

will do this when everything else fails. There is no doubt about it. It nourishes, strengthens, builds up and makes the body strong and healthy, not only to throw off this hard cough, but to fortify the system against further attacks. If you are run down or emaciated you should certainly take this nourishing food medicine.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

$40,000 GIVEN AWAY

FRANKLIN MILES, M. D., LL B., the Eminent Chicago Physician and Scientist, Will Send Any Sufferer Two Dollars and a Half Worth of His Wonderful Treatment for Heart and Nervous Diseases.

Never before has such a generous offer been made. It will enable thousands suffering from lingering or chronic diseases of the brain, nerves, heart, liver or stomach, to test the curative qualities of Dr. Miles' New Special Personal Treatment free of charge.

Few regular physicians in the world have such unlimited confidence in their skill, and the curative properties of their remedies as to permit every patient to thoroughly test them free of charge. Such liberality speaks louder than words.

Hundreds of "incurable cases" cured. Mr. F. J. Held, of Grand Rapids, after having been given up by eleven physicians. Mrs. Frank Smith, of 1244 Wabash Ave., cured of dropsy after five of Chicago's leading physicians said there was no help for her. Truman DeWeese, Editor Chicago Times-Herald states: "Dr. Miles cured me of inherited headache and dizziness." Hon. C. M. Buck, banker, Faribault, Minn., writes: "I had broken completely down. My head, heart, stomach and nerves had troubled me greatly for years. Feared I would never recover, but Dr. Miles' Personal Treatment cured me after six well known physicians of Chicago and elsewhere had completely failed." Mrs. P. Countryman, of Pontiac, Ill., says: "Several years ago when I sent to Dr. Miles for personal treatment, three physicians said I could not live two weeks. I could not walk six feet then; now I can do all my work."

Dr. Miles has had twenty-four years' experience, and is well and favorably known throughout the country. He has an able and extensive corps of assistants and investigators in his laboratories. He has patients in every State, Territory and Canada and Mexico. He cordially invites the afflicted to write to him.

You may never have another such an opportunity. Do not fail to write for examination blank and $2.50 worth of Treatment free. Address DR. FRANKLIN MILES, cor. State and Adams street, Chicago.

A man don't mind the mitten if not smitten.

There are few ailments so uncomfortable as piles, but they can easily be cured by using TABLER'S BUCKEYE PILE OINTEENT. Relief follows its use, and any one suffering from piles cannot afford to neglect to give it a trial. Price, 50 cts. in bottles, tubes 75 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

A great many schemes when unfolded are not founed square.

Have you a cold? A dose of Cousen's Honey of Tar at bed-time will remove it. Price 25 cts. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Columbia Calendar For 1900.

The Columbia Desk Calendar, which has been regularly issued for the last fifteen years by the Pope Manufacturing Company, Hartford, Conn., makers of Columbia bicycles, is now being distributed. The company will send the calendar to any address upon receipt of five 2-cent stamps.

This calendar is unique among publications of its kind. At the top of each of the 365 inner pages appears a paragraph in prose or verse, furnished by a contributor; and those who have thus supplied the reading matter for the compilation include cyclists in nearly every country of the world. At the foot of each page are date lines, which, in clear and distinct type, denote the day of the week, month and year. Between the opening paragraph and the date lines ample blank space is left for jotting down memoranda. The cover is artistically designed and handsomely printed in colors, and a two-color introductory page informs the reader that the purpose of the calendar is to furnish a convenient memoranda pad, arranged according to the days of the year; and incidentally, to supply guidance to all seekers for information on the subject of quality in bicycles. The frame which holds the pad is arranged so that the calendar may be hung in any convenient location or placed upon the desk at any desired angle. For many years the Columbia calendar has been regarded as a fixture in thousands of homes and business offices, and this century-issue will prove a valuable addition to the series.

For Sale.

House and lot on West Eighteenth street for sale at a bargain. Well improved. Apply to J. B. Fisher, at Forbes & Bro's. tin shop.

Ciphers on the left hand side of the decimal point are the most popular commercial circles.

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WILL SOON BE RINGING .....

Our complete line of Holliday Goods for gentlemen is now on display. Our showing of ... Our showing of Neckwear, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Umbrellas, Gloves,

Men's, Boys and Childrens

Suits and Overcoats

We challenge any competition to produce any thing that will excel them. We are disposed to sell goods cheaper at this holiday time than any other. For us it closes the most successful season's business we have ever done, and we feel like doing our share towards making the Christmas season of our customers as pleasant as we can.

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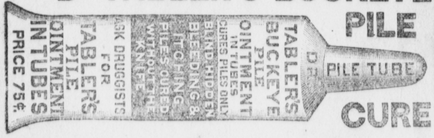

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Daunt's Wooing

CUPID is a little creature and can hide in a small place—he has even been known to secrete himself in a strawberry box. And that is the story.

Sanderson, of Verbena, had 20 acres out in berries, which was bad sense on his part, considering that small fruits bring next to no profit in these days. But Sanderson liked strawberries and appeared to be willing to raise them for the delectation of the rest of mankind, even though he was not enriched by the labor. So when the June sun turned the fruit juicy and the perfume of the berries hung heavy upon the sweltering air, the field was thronged with pickers, who rode out from the village on great hay racks and back again at night, singing and laughing and scandalizing the neighbors.

Among the noisy pickers there was one fellow who kept to himself and who neither whistled nor sang nor called out to the others. This was Daunt Jewlson, of the Becker road. He walked two miles from the north every morning to meet the hay ricks at the village and no one knew much about him except that he had a small farm laid out in sweet potatoes and peanuts. In a country where every one grew fruit almost exclusively, and where peaches were king, it seemed amusing for a man to raise sweet potatoes and peanuts, and Daunt was usually accosted in the morning with:

"Well, how's the peanut crop?" or:

"The great American luxury gettin' on all right, Daunt?"

Daunt was brief but not taciturn in his responses. He was not a particularly fast picker, and he seemed to dream a good deal. He set the whole company in a roar of laughter one night as he and they stood about the packing sheds looking at the crates of luscious fruit as it was being prepared for shipment.

"I wonder where all them berries are going?" said he, pensively. He looked so absurd with his watery blue eyes and his large ears and mouth that everybody roared.

"Want to go along, Daunt?" cried they. Daunt nodded.

"You bet I'd like to go along," he murmured, wistfully. And that evening he did not ride home on the rick with the rest, but walked along the lake shore three miles to town and two miles beyond to the lonely house among the potatoes and the peanuts. Then he milked his cow and drank milk for supper, sitting out where he could watch the red sunset.

It was the next day that an idea came to him—one of the first of his life. He took his pencil and wrote on the inside of a strawberry box: "I am Daunt Jewlson, of the Becker road, near South Fork. I would like to court up with whoever gits these here berries." Then he piled in the fruit, and the box went away with the rest, none witting, though Daunt had been in a terror lest some accident should occur which would reveal his secret to his jeering friends.

Now, little Lena Nelsen, who had been used all her life to wide, melancholy fields, to a somber fiord, to distant hemlocks, and to a house where logs burned on the hearth, was homesick past words where she worked in the flat on North Erie street. Thirty-two families were crowded together in the big apartment building, and the maids at night ran down to the big telephone room to gossip together. Moreover, they said many things which it offended Lena to hear. So she staid alone in the hot kitchen and puzzled over the English in the newspapers or read her Bible in her own beloved tongue.

The day had been peculiarly trying. The bread had not risen well. The fruit she had selected at the store was overripe, and her mistress had not been well pleased. The ringing of the bells seemed incessant, and the kitchen was horribly hot. Lena shut her eyes once or twice to enable herself to imagine that she was a little girl again back with her mother, walking the quiet fields where the thousand flowers grew—that was what they used to say of the field, that it was the place of a thousand flowers. For generations that had been said of it.

Lena had just set the table for luncheon and made moan over the raised biscuits which were not raised enough, and poured the berries out of the box, when she came upon Daunt's message. She was obliged to read it over three times before she got the full meaning of it, and first she smiled a little contemptuously, and then the tears came into her eyes. No doubt others beside herself were lonesome at times.

She set the box away in her own hot little bedroom off the kitchen, and two or three times during the afternoon she went in and looked at it, and in the evening after the work was done she sat beside the kitchen table and stared hard at it till her eyes seemed to turn their understanding inward. Now Lena came of an old, old family of peasants, who had been famed time in and time out for knowing things in a mysterious way. Lena had never had the least bit of confidence in these traditions, and to tease her mother—ah! would that her dear mother were now alive to tease—she had been used to talk about her grandames, the witches. But now a curious thing happened. In the silence of the sultry night Lena's tired body seemed to become as nothing, and her lonely little mind appeared to be traveling up a sandy beach all in a red, red sunset to a farm, where before a cottage a young man sat staring wistfully off upon the water. And the loneliness in his heart seemed like a piece of the loneliness within hers. Then suddenly the young man and the cottage and the red, red sunset were no more. There was nothing but the hot kitchen and her tired limbs and aching head.

She went to bed and dreamed a dream, and it seemed to her that she rand and laughed upon a shore where the waves rolled in, and that a young man ran and leaped beside her, and that when the stars came out they went together to some quiet fields, planted with goodly things, and to a cottage which was their home. In the early dawn she awoke to know it for a dream, and she wept homesick tears for the home that was not.

That is how it came about that that evening Lena wrote an impossible little letter and directed it to Daunt Jewlson, of the Becker road, near South Fork.

Daunt always went to the post office at least once a week, because he took the county paper. And then, sometimes, at the proper season, he had communication with commission men on South Water street. But he had never had a letter of any other sort since his mother died, till he got Lena's little note, and took it home to read it at his leisure.

"I, Lena Nelson, got the berry box, read it, and I say I will let you court up to me if you are a good man. I am sad, for I have no one of my own any more. Are you sad, too?"

It was quite correctly spelled, and was altogether a better epistle than Daunt, born to the tongue though he was, could have contrived. But, then, Lena had taken the greatest pains in learning her English, and Daunt had always held the matter in more or less contempt. It was an exciting night for him. He was enchanted with the letter. He walked about his little house, holding the note in his hand, and wondering what sort of a girl had written it, and what a woman would think of his home, and how it would seem to be married. Daunt was much in earnest. He was not a man who expressed an idle wish. He had meant what he wrote on the strawberry box.

But through the somewhat dim chambers of his brain there ran the suggestion that marriage with an unknown person might be a dangerous thing. Yet the little missive did not

LENA FINDS THE MESSAGE.

seem dangerous. It seemed sweet. He had a sense that Lena was a dear girl. Folks who live alone sometimes get a sort of instinct, like the animals. They knew things, not knowing why they knew them.

Well, Daunt wrote, and Lena wrote and Daunt wrote, and then one day he took the morning boat over to the city, and, it being Thursday afternoon and Lena's free day, she met him at the pier. They knew each other the first thing, for Daunt wore, as had been arranged, a rose in the band of his hat, and she had blue ribbons and a white dress. She knew where she wanted to go, and led him to the esplanade and they walked there together looking at the lake and the people on wheels, and the grand carriages and all the throng of the city.

"But I like the lake best over on t'other side," said Daunt. "I like to run in the sand."

"I know it," remarked Lena.

"Do you? How do you know it?"

"Oh, I have ways of knowing. I dream sometimes."

Daunt gasped. Then he made a confession.

"So do I," he said. "I guess you ain't much different from what I thought you'd be."

"You're the same," the girl responded. "I'd have known you without the rose."

Then she told him about the fields of her childhood, and he told her about his house and his peanuts and potatoes. She was intensely interested.

"I should laugh all the time if I could live in the country like that," said she.

"Then come and laugh all the time!" cried Daunt, with a wit worthy of a brighter man.

"Some time," said Lena, shyly, "perhaps."

"After harvest?" queried Daunt.

"Maybe," sighed Lena. She thought of the rides down the country road, of a low, red moon, of corn in the stack, or grapes with the early frost upon their swelling sides.

"Say yes!" pleaded Daunt, his loneliness making his pale eyes eloquent.

"Yes," breathed Lena—and the wind of the sweet countryside seemed to blow upon her, so that she forgot the pavement beneath her feet, and the throngs of selfish people, and the beating of the hoofs on the drive.—Chicago Tribune.

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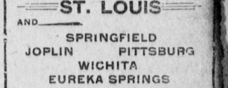

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And stands on the same old hill;
But the ones that were dear in the little old town,
With its one wide street running up and down,
Have ceased to sit on the porches where
The roses were trained to climb;
They have ceased to sew and to whittle there,
As they did in the dear old time.

The little old church with its wooden sheds
Still stands as it stood of yore;
But the ones who knelt and who bowed their heads
Are worshiping there no more!
And the little old school where I carved my name
On the homemade desk stands just the same—
But the boys who are batting the ball today
And the little maids, fair and free,
Are not the children who used to play
On the common there with me!

The little old house, so dear, so dear,
Stands just where it used to stand;
But not for many and many a year
Has the latch obeyed her hand—
The hand in which my hand was laid
When my first few faltering steps were made—
And in the little old parlor there,
O'er[illegible]ing the little lawn,
Another sits in her easy chair,
And hears the clock tick on.

O the little old town that I left one day,
Because it was quiet and still
Has the name that it had when I went away,
And stands on the same old hill;
But the friends that I've traveled "back home" to see
Are gone, or else are but strangers to me,
And over the doors of the little old stores
Are names that I never knew,
And the dream that was dear of the "old home" here
Can never, alas, come true!
—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

A Little and a Big Hero

By Ino Strannik

MY TWO cousins and I had come from school to my uncle's estate, pale and overworked. Now, brown as berries, we felt strong and mischievous.

The day was hot and suffocating. The air seemed to be laden with something more than the scent of new-mown hay and pine—a flavor so common on a July day in northern Russia.

The grown people said: "The atmosphere is impregnated with electricity," and although we boys of 12 and 13 years did not know what that really meant, we were sure that, sooner or later, a storm would come, for the old shepherd had said so, and he always told the truth.

In the afternoon a black cloud rose over the horizon in the northeast. An hour later a dark bank covered half the sky and we heard the far away rumbling of thunder.

Rain began to fall in large drops and we, standing on the grass-covered porch amused ourselves in watching the chickens run, the ducks dive in the pond, the workmen hurry home and the cattle rush for the stables.

An unexpected clap of thunder made us jump, and we quickly obeyed the call of my aunt to come into the house, as we had no desire to stay outside any longer.

It grew darker and darker. The fiery zigzags of the lightning threw a yellow tint upon the people and furniture in the room, and the thunder following quickly on the flashes made the old mansion quiver to its foundations.

A blinding flash, with a deafening crash almost at the same instant, seemed to make the old castle sway.

"Surely that struck somewhere near," said my uncle, jumping to his feet and stepping to the window. "Yes, it is Michael Kubarkin's hut just across the river," he exclaimed. "I must go at once and see that the fire is put out." He turned to us: "Boys, you had better come along. I may need you."

No need to ask us twice. We felt over-honored to be allowed to be of use at such an important moment. In an instant we were in our high boots and rubber coats, and started for the fire.

About 20 peasants stood around the burning house, lamenting and praying, but not one offering to lend a helping hand.

"Quick," called my uncle. "Take some buckets; form a chain; try to put out the fire."

"Your lordship," said one of the men, "lightning struck this house. Only milk will put out the flame."

"Obey me," thundered my uncle, "and get to work or I'll put you on bread and water until you forget how milk tastes."

Reluctantly the man started. My younger cousin, Alexey, was stationed to watch the superstitious crowd, with orders to report at once if any one refused to work or tried to steal away.

"Now, boys," shouted my uncle, "let us see if there are any people in the house."

Bravely we followed him into the smoke and heat of the slowly burning hut. We soon discovered the dead body of Michael Kubarkin and carried it out. Again and again we faced the danger. We rescued two women and a baby. They had been merely stunned by the shock. While bringing the child out I had noticed a form lying near the door. In the darkness and smoke I could not distinguish whether it was a human being or a dog.

I hurried back. My uncle called me, but I rushed in, dropped on my knees and crawled toward the spot where I had seen the form lying. It was a boy. He had been on his way home in the next village and had sought shelter in the house from the storm.

I dragged him out, and was about 15 yards from the house when there was an explosion. Kubarkin had bought ten pounds of powder [illegible] last fair and had kept it in the large brick stove.

The hut collapsed. Some of the bricks whizzed by my head, uncomfortably close, but the boy was saved, and with aid of fresh air and a little brandy he soon came out of his stupor.

Ten years had passed. I was lieutenant in the body-guard of the czar. Before Plevna we were forced into active service.

One morning I was ordered to take a private dispatch from the emperor to Gen. Todleben. A guard of 12 men escorted me when I started from headquarters. It was a bright morning after several days of drizzling rain. The road through the forest was very soft and we could make but very slow progress. At about ten o'clock we reached an open valley. I ordered a halt to decide if I should cross the open space or turn to the left and keep in the woods until I had got out of sight and reach of the enemy. It would have been just 20 miles more of muddy road. The dispatch was important and haste necessary, so I decided to move straight on.

We had hardly reached the open valley when a small cloud of smoke from the northern part of Plevna told me that we had been seen and were now a target for the Turkish guns.

A short command from me brought my men into a line, so that the enemy had only one man to aim at. We were moving at full speed toward the protecting timber on the other side.

The first shell fell short; the second burst fully a thousand yards behind us; the third was "dead," and passed 50 feet in front of us.

We were almost in the shade of the tall pines when I heard a terrific crash and lost my senses. I awoke very soon, with a stinging pain in my head. A man lay right over me. He was unbuttoning my uniform. The thought of a "war-hyena" flashed through my mind. Cautiously I opened one eye—just enough to see who my assailant was. To my astonishment I saw that it was one of my own men.

He had noticed my movement, and whispered: "Keep still; we are the only survivors."

"But, man," said I, "take the dispatch and get into safety."

"No," he whispered; "I shall cover your body with mine until help comes.

A MAN LEANED OVER ME.

The Turks will fire again as soon as they see one of us move. You remember the time you saved me from the burning house of Michael Kubarkin? Now is my time to show that I have not forgotten that I owe my life to you."

A few minutes later came a little troop from the timber, with the flag of the Red Cross. Eleven men were buried on the spot, and I was taken back on a stretcher, having lost one eye and suffering from a broken jaw.

While the dead were being buried and the first bandages being put on me my brave soldier had disappeared, and one of the horses of the Red Cross command was missing.

When I was discharged from the hospital I recognized in the sergeant of my regiment, who was the first to congratulate me on my recovery, the soldier who had covered me with his body in the hour of danger. It was the boy I had dragged from the burning hut on my uncle's estate.—N. Y. Independent.

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FOR ARCHÆOLOGISTS.

Soudan Offers Scope for the Exploration of Many Interesting Spots Not Yet Investigated.

The opening up of the Soudan offers a rich field for the archaeologist, and Egyptology will be enriched by many important "finds." A large number of monuments of Egypt's power which have never been thoroughly investigated lie scattered about upper Nubia. The temples of Soleb, the ruins of the great Cushite cities Napata and Meroe, the latter of which is 560 miles above Assouan, between the fifth and sixth cataracts, the antiquities at El-Mesaourat, eight hours' journey from Shendy, are all waiting for the archaeologist. In fact, says the London Chronicle, it is almost a virgin country, for its antiquarian treasures have not been investigated since Cailliaud, the French traveler, studied them in the early part of this century. His work, "Voyage a Meroe," etc., published in 1826, still the main authority for a country which, if not the cradle of Egyptian culture as was at one time supposed, is full of memorials of the power of the Pharaohs. English archaeologists have not been idle in following in the sirdar's wake. Dr. Wallis Budge, the keeper of the Egyptian and Assyrian departments at the British museum, was there last year, and has been visiting some of the antiquities in the neighborhood of Shendy this year. He returned to Cairo a few days ago from the Soudan. His discoveries have not been made public, and the result of his important investigations is impatiently awaited by all who take an interest in Egypt's wonderful past.

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OSTEOPATHY KNOCKED OUT.

Gov. Candler Vetoes Bil Recently Passed By the Georgia Legislature.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 21.—Gov. Candler, after a conference with many physicians, to day vetoed a bill passed recently by both houses of the General Assembly, providing for the practice in this State of Osteopathy, treating of the structure and development of the bone. The physicians contended that osteopaths knew nothing of materia medica, while they would be given the right to prescribe medicine, the same as any other regularly licensed physician.

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Dime In a Chicken's Craw.

"Looking for prosperity items Mr. Editor?" asked Eli Hudson, of Fulton, Ky., the other night, and he showed us a dime he had taken from a chicken's craw that morning while preparing the fowl for dinner. It was slightly disfigured but still had the government stamp visible on its face and was worth ten cents. Will you kindly name us any other state in the Union except Kentucky where money just simply grows in chicken craws.—Kentucky Fancier.

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Party affiliations have been ignored in the outcry against thrusting aside the safeguards of our fathers and rushing pell-mell into the affairs of Europe. The situation is a deplorable one if not alarming; as is also our domestic affairs dominated by gigantic Trusts.

The evils are not of spontaneous growth! They are the result of years of labor and expenditure of millions of dollars! Beginning with the displacement of American silver for English gold, the cunning of England's diplomacy in shaping the destiny of our Republic is apparent to any ordinary observer seeking the true inwardness of events.

The Cincinnati Enquirer has frequently called attention to each and every move as it was transpiring, and during the campaign of 1900 will present its readers with a truthful array of facts that will be extremely interesting and startling.

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CHRISTMAS FIRE.

Main Street Grocery Store Gutted Sunday Night.

Narrow Escape of Dr. H. H. Wallace From His Bed Room On the Floor Above.

The store of the Hopkinsville Grocery Co. at 202 South Main street, was gutted by fire at 12 o'clock Sunday night. The fire was discovered by Dr. H. H. Wallace, whose sleeping room was immediately over the fire. He was aroused by the stifling smoke in his room and taking his clothing in his hands he rushed into the hall to find that also dense with smoke. He groped his way to the steps and made his way across the street to the Phoenix Hotel and turned in an alarm.

The fire department responded promptly and found the smoke pouring out in a great volume at the front and rear doors. A stream of water was turned in and the fire was soon under control. It was confined to the lower room, though the smoke filled the whole building and also the Moayon store adjoining. The grocery stock is almost a complete loss as the fire, smoke, water and breakage left but little to tell the tale.

The managers of the grocery are W. E. Rives and W. R. Peacher and their loss is $3000 or more. The stock was insured for $2000, $1500 with Henry & Leavell and $500 with Higgins & Son.

The building is the property of Mrs. Jno. C. Willis. It was insured for $3000 with Henry & Leavell and this will more than cover the loss.

Other losers were the Moayon estate, damage by smoke, fully covered, and Dr. H. H. Wallace. The latter's furniture and medicines were badly damaged. This loss was fully covered.

The fire originated in the shelves on the South side of the room. The stock of matches was kept there, but what started the fire is a mystery.

HERE AND THERE.

A year-old child of Bud Cayce, col., died in the city Sunday.

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The Hopkinsville Grocery Company desire to announce to the public that notwithstanding the heavy loss by fire Sunday night they will open up for business again as soon as the building, which they formerly occupied, can be repaired and made ready for the reception of goods.

A Useful Prize.

In the guessing contest at Geo. W. Young's for the $50 range, No. 4,191 was the lucky number. Mr. G. W. McKnight, held No. 4,199, the nearest guess, and was awarded the prize yesterday.

INSOLENT NEGRO

Fined $51 for Using Insulting Language About a Lady.

A negro named Jno. W. Miller, who came to town last week with a man introducing a new cigar, was arrested Friday for using vulgar and insulting language about a lady sitting in a carriage, intended for her to overhear. Officer Smith heard the remark and took him in charge and Judge Leavell gave him a $51 contract to crush rock for the city. Miller is a very insolent negro, who claims to be from Indiana, and a little experience with Judge Leavell's whipping post would do him about as much good as the work house sentence.

MESSENGER SOLD.

The Republican Organ Sold To Mr. C. A. Brasher.

Hon. Jas. F. Rogers, representative from Christian county, has sold his paper, the Hopkinsville Messenger, to Mr. C. A. Brasher, former deputy sheriff, and possession has already been given. Mr. Brasher is a prominent Republican leader and the Messenger will continue as heretofore the organ of the Republican party. Mr. Rogers will leave in a few days for Frankfort.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mrs. J. D. Ware has returned from a visit to friends in Louisville.

Mrs. J. V. Johnson, of Nashville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wallace Smith.

Miss Margaret Smock, of Hodgenville, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Lettitia Fairleigh.

Mrs. C. B. Webb has returned from a visit of several weeks to relatives in Louisville.

Mrs. Lizzie Clark and children are spending the week with Mrs. Hugh Phelps in Clarksville.

Mrs. D. Ensign and wife, of Kansas City, Mo., are visiting the family of Mr. Geo. H. Taylor.

Mr. Max Lowenthal and wife have gone to Huntsville, Ala., where the latter will spend some time.

Miss Elizabeth Mason, of The Square, has gone to Washington City to visit her sister, Mrs. Claude Berry.

Messrs. Edmund Starling and Amos Hayden bagged 70 quail and a large gray fox in one day near Bainbridge.

Miss Katie Manson, who is attending a seminary at Washington, D. C., arrived home Friday on a ten days' visit.

Rev. J. N. Prestridge and wife, of Louisville, are spending the Holidays with the family of Dr. J. D. Clardy, near Newstead.

Mr. E. M. Sherwood and family went over to Evansville Sunday. Mr. Sherwood returned to-day, but his family will spend the week visiting relatives.

Rev. Joseph Armistead, who is taking a ministerial course at the Lexington State College, arrived home Saturday and will spend the holidays with his parents.

Dr. R. H. Perry, of Dawson, is at home on a visit to his parents. His old friend and schoolmate, Will Coleman, of Providence, will arrive to-day and spend several days with him.

Mrs. L. W. Gasnell, of Chickasawba, Ark., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wood Twyman. Her son Mervin, who accompanied her, will enter an Evansville business college Jan. 1.

Mr. Edmund Starling has accepted a position with Jack Meador, who will open up a full line of hardware and house furnishings in the Hooser building, next door to E. B. Clark & Co., Jan. 1st, where he will be glad to meet his friends.

Damage Suit Filed.

Mr. Mat. S. Major, of Herndon, has filed suit in the Trigg Circuit Court against the Nashville, Paducah & Cairo Packet Company for $250 damages. It is alleged that while three hogsheads of plaintiff's tobacco were being loaded on defendant's boat at Canton they were permitted to roll into the Cumberland river.

A Monster Steer.

A Shorthorn steer weighing 3,000 pounds was sold this week on the Louisville market to a local butcher at 7½ cents per pound, making the total price of the steer $225.

BOLD ASSAULT.

Young Lady Seized By a Brutal Negro on the Street.

Rescued by the Timely Arrival of Those Who Heard Her Screams.

Two young ladies who started home from their work Saturday night, were assailed by a negro man on North Main street, near the Universalist church, and one of them roughly handled. She was seized by the brute in a rough manner and in the struggle that ensued, the young lady's clothing was torn and disarranged. Her screams, and the cries of her companion, attracted attention and as a door near by was thrown open the negro fled in the darkness. Parties who ran to the rescue caught a negro close by, but he proved to be the wrong one and was released. The real culprit escaped.

This is one of the boldest attempts at crime that has been noted in Hopkinsville for years, and is but one of many evidences of coming trouble with the bad negroes of the city. A few capers like this will cause a telephone post to be ornamented some night with a dangling carcass.

In the short space of three days, a young lady has been cursed by a negro, a white boy murdered in cold blood and a young lady saved from attempted assault as here narrated. These things are getting entirely too common and will not be tolerated. The people of Hopkinsville are law-abiding citizens, but there is a danger-line that these mean negroes are liable at any time to pass.

Christmas Trees.

The children of the Baptist church had a Christmas tree Saturday night and a very enjoyable program was carried out before the presents were distributed.

Last night the First Presbyterian Church Sunday School had a similar celebration.

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The two men, McCoy and Sutton, who were arrested at Dawson two weeks ago, on a charge of having robbed a store at Slaughtersville, entered a plea of guilty and were given five years each in the penitentiary.

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